Transcript Review

for Initial Licensure

The Vermont Online Licensing System for Educators (ALiS

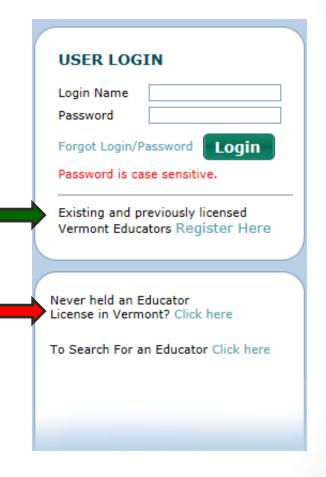


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- The Transcript Review process can be used to become eligible for initial licensure for endorsements that are not part of an approved teacher education program in the State of Vermont. If a Vermont teacher preparation program exists for the endorsement being sought a candidate cannot qualify for that endorsement through the transcript review process.
- If an educator holds a current permanent license in the State of Vermont, they can use the transcript review process to add any additional endorsement per the Rules Governing Educator Licensure.

Before you start....

- You must be register in ALiS
- Go to the ALiS website here: https://alis.edlicensing.vermont.gov/login.aspx
- If you have never submitted ANY materials to the Agency of Education click on 'Never held a Vermont Educator License-Click Here'
- If you hold a Provisional License or have submitted paperwork, transcripts, etc... to the Agency of Education click on 'Existing and previously licensed Vermont Educators Register Here'



If you have never submitted anything to the AOE you will need to enter your Personal and Contact Information and create a login for the Online System

★ Write down or store your Login and Password for future reference

If you are Registering as an "existing user" move onto Slide 5

Personal Information						
If you do not have US Social Security Number; please contact Vermont Agency of Education at 802-479-1700. Last Name *						
Contact Information						
Our primary means of communication is by email. Please give us an email address you will check regularly, including during the summer. Country * United States Street 1 * Street 2 City * State/Province * Vermont V Zip * Phone # - Ext. * - Alternate Phone # - Ext. Preferred E-mail * Alternate E-mail						
Online Account Information						
Login Name * Password * Password s case sensitive and must be at least 8 letters long with at least one upper case and one number. Retype Password *						
Return to Online Services Register & Go to Next Step						

Click on Register & Go to Next Step and you will be taken to the Preliminary Initial Licensure Questions (Go to **Slide 7**)

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If you exist in The Vermont Online Licensing System (ALiS) already...

- 1) You will need to enter your last name, date of birth, and SSN into the system. (Please note these must match exactly what is already in the system; if you get an error message that says your SSN is not unique or your information doesn't match please call 802-479-1700 to verify the information we have in the system.)
- 2) Once the information above is entered you will be brought to a Contact Information and Personal Information Page where your information from the system will be pre-populated. PLEASE VERIFY that all this information is correct, especially your preferred email address.
- 3) Create a Login and Password
- ★ Write down or store your Login and Password for future reference
- 4) Click on Register and you will be brought to your Home Screen

Educator Home Screen

The candidate you are viewing is a fictitious educator created for training purposes

Once registered, you will be brought to your Home Screen; click on 'Apply for New License' to start your application

Contact Information

Name: Coleson Franks

PO Box 526

East Barre VT 05649 Phone #: 802-479-1700

Email: catherine.franks@state.vt.us

WHAT DO YOU WANT TO DO?

View Pending Online Application(s)

Update Profile

Renew License(s)

Criminal Record Check

Add New Endorsement

Reinstatement License(s)

Print Unofficial License(s)

View/Amend IPLP

Apply For Retired License

Apply for New License

Change Password

PL Activity

Initial application: preliminary questions

Initial Licensure Application Preliminary Question(s)		
Have you received a contract offer to teach or lead in a Vermont School?	○ Yes	○ No
Have you completed a Vermont State approved educator preparation program at a college or university or alternative program through a bachelor, post-baccaleaurate or master's degree program and received a recommendation for licensure at the time of graduation?	○Yes	○ No
Do you have a current, comparable license (teacher, or administrator) from a state with which Vermont has signed the NASDTEC Interstate Agreement and can demonstrate at least 3 years of successful work in a school within the past 7 years in the licensure endorsement or subject area? To know more details about the requirements for this process click here	○Yes	○ No
Have you graduated from a state-approved educator preparation program in another state and received a recommendation for licensure from that institution for that state?	○Yes	○ No
Do you have credentials from another country? You must demonstrate they meet the equivalent degree requirements specified in the endorsement competencies. To know more details about the transcript review process click here	○ Yes	○ No
Do you have a conferred master's degree in Communication Science, Speech Language Pathology, or Audiology?	○Yes	○ No

Save & Go to Next Step

Answer 'NO' to all of these questions

This will prompt an "Alternate Route" Box to appear at the bottom of the screen

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Alternate Route to Licensure		
Apply using Transcript/Academic Review Process? To learn more details about the Transcript/Academic Review Process click here Apply using Vermont Peer Review Process? To learn more details about the peer review Process click here		

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Save & Go to Next Step

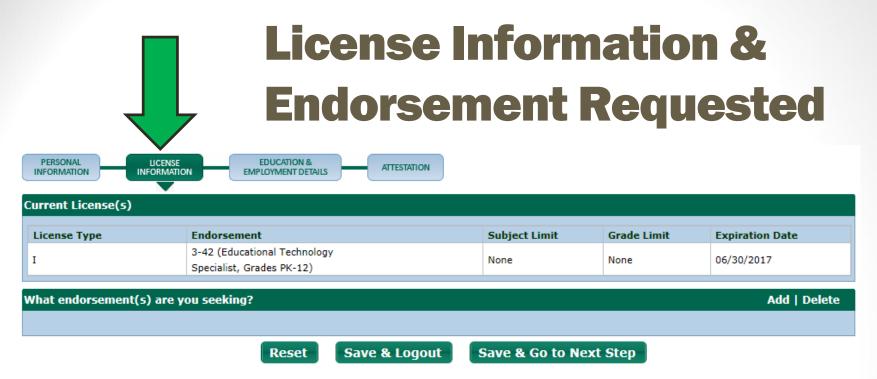
Click on 'Apply using Transcript/Academic Review' then Click Save & Go to Next Step

Complete, update, and verify your Personal Information

★Make sure your E-mail address is correct as this is the primary way that the system and AOE Specialists will contact you ★

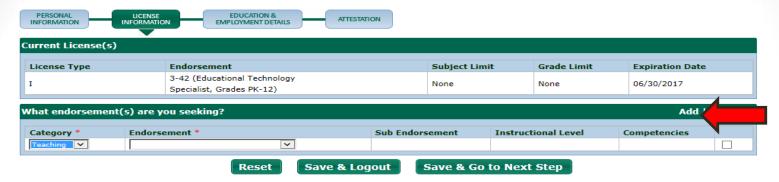
Once your Personal Information is correct Click on Save & Go to Next Step

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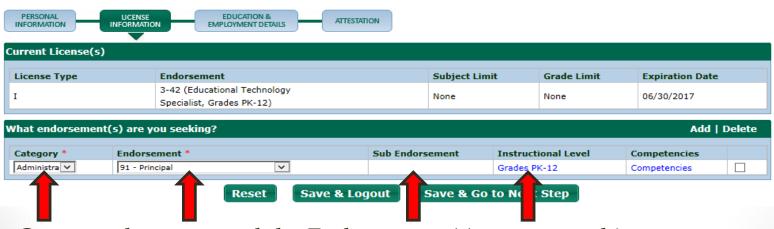
- Since this is your Initial License NOTHING will appear in the 'Current License(s)' section or it will be your Provisional License listed here
- Next you will choose the endorsement that you are requesting

Click 'Add' in the right corner of the 'What endorsement(s) are you seeking?" section.



You will then select:

- The endorsement category- Teacher or Administrator
- The Endorsement
- The Sub Endorsement (If Applicable)
- And the Instructional Level



Once you have entered the Endorsement(s) you are seeking you will need to complete the **competencies**

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Endorsement Competencies

The Competencies for each endorsement you are seeking will open in a pop up. All competencies and additional requirements must be fulfilled with academic coursework to qualify for the endorsement (If 75% of the coursework for the endorsement is not complete at the time of submission your Transcript Review Application will not be processed)

91-Principal Competency

Please enter coursework for	or all competencies.	
o you have a recommendat	tion from an approved educator preparation program for this endorsement? *	○Yes ○ No
Category	Competencies	Course Details
Additional Requirements	Masters degree	Course Detail (0)
	Three or more years of PK-12 teaching experience	Course Detail (0)
	Collaboration and community (Standard #4)	Course Detail (0)
	Curriculum and instructional leadership (Standard #2)	Course Detail (0)
	Data and assessment (Standard # 2)	Course Detail (0)
General Requirements	Foundations of school leadership and the education system (Standards #1 and #6)	Course Detail (0)
	Organization management, operation, and resources (e.g. school finances, technology) (Standard #3)	Course Detail (0)
	School law and ethics (Standard # 5)	Course Detail (0)
	Supervision and evaluation (Standard #2)	Course Detail (0)

If you have a recommendation for Licensure from an approved teacher preparation program in the endorsement area you are seeking Click 'YES' to the question *Do you have a recommendation from an approved educator preparation program for this endorsement?* If you do not Click 'NO'

No Change-Close

If you Click 'YES' you do not need to enter anything for each competency. If you Click 'NO' You must enter coursework for each competency listed

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Endorsement Competencies Continued...

91-Principal Competency

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Competencies Please enter coursework for all competencies. Do you have a recommendation from an approved educator preparation program for this endorsement? * ○ Yes O No Category Competencies **Course Details** Course Detail (0 Masters degree Additional Requirements Three or more years of PK-12 teaching experience Course Detail (0) Collaboration and community (Standard #4) Course Detail (0) Curriculum and instructional leadership (Standard #2) Course Detail (0) Data and assessment (Standard # 2) Course Detail (0) General Requirements Foundations of school leadership and the education system (Standards #1 and #6) Course Detail (0) Organization management, operation, and resources (e.g. school finances, technology) (Standard #3) Course Detail (0) School law and ethics (Standard # 5) Course Detail (0) Supervision and evaluation (Standard #2) Course Detail (0)

Click on 'Course Detail' next to each competency to enter academic coursework that you have completed with a grade of "C" or better

No Change-Close

★Please note you must put something for every competency. If you do not have coursework for a competency you should enter what course you plan to take to satisfy the competency and this coursework will be pre-approved or refused as part of your review★

Endorsement Competencies Continued...

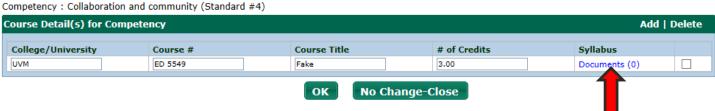
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College/University	Course #	Course Title	# of Credits	Syllabus Documents (0)		
OK No Change-Close						
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College/University	Course #	Course Title	# of Credits	Syllabus		
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OK No Change-Close						

- Once in each competency Click 'Add' to add a blank row to enter a course.
- You can add as many courses as you want considered. (*Please note that ONLY the courses you enter here will be considered for fulfilling the competency*)
- If you are entering a degree or practicum experience please put the school or place in the College field and See attached under the Course title and NA in the remaining fields.
- See the next slide for Uploading course descriptions and/or syllabi for each competency
- Click 'OK' once you have entered all the course information and uploaded all the documents you want considered for this competency

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Document upload for competencies



In the specific competency detail Click 'Documents' and a pop up to upload documents, pictures, etc.. will open



Click 'Add' and blank row will appear where you can browse for the documents, pictures, etc.. you want to upload



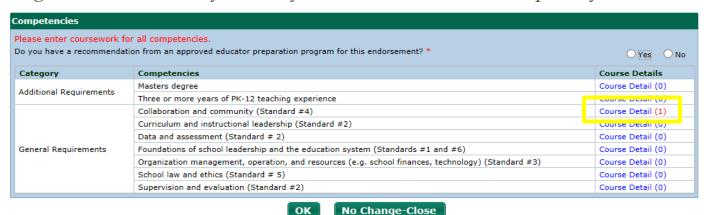
Click 'Browse' and search for the document, picture, etc... that you want to upload. Once you have chosen the file, add a comment (optional) and then Click 'Upload'



Once you have uploaded your file the # next to the 'Documents" link will change to reflect how many documents you have uploaded.

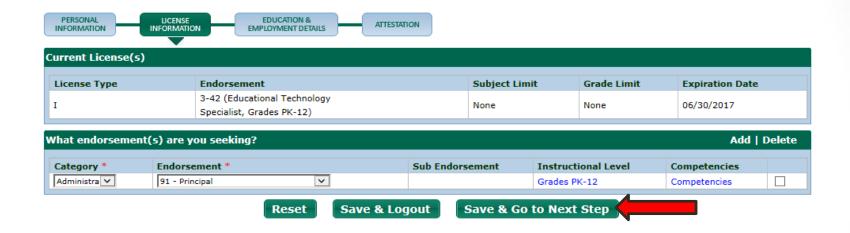
Please note that Course Descriptions and/or Syllabi are STRONGLY recommended for any course you are submitting for consideration. Courses that do not have supporting documents detailing the content of the course with them may not be approved.

After you click 'OK' in the Course Detail for the competency the # next to the 'Course Detail' will change to reflect how many courses you have entered for that competency



Click 'OK' after you have entered course details for all the competencies for the endorsement(s) you are seeking

Once you are certain you have entered all the information you want considered for the Transcript Review Click **Save &Go to Next Step**



This will bring you to the next section where you will enter your Education and Employment Details...

Education Details



Click 'Add Education Details' to Add a row to enter new education details.



Enter your Education Details into the new row, completing all areas marked with a red asterisk *



Once you have entered all your education details move on to add your employment details...

Employment Details

Click 'Add Education Details' to open a pop-up where you can add new employment details.



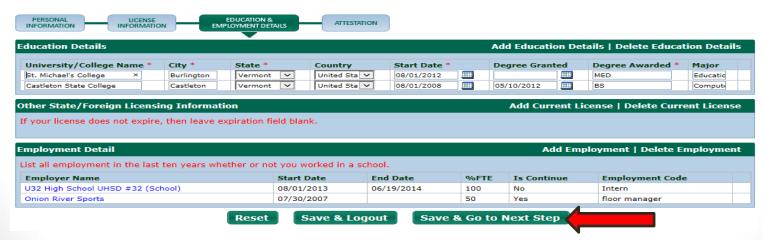
Enter your Employment Details into the pop-up, completing all areas marked with a red asterisk * Once you are done Click **OK** to save the Details you have entered.

Employment Details **Employment Details** 0 ~ Supervisory Union 1 -- Choose One -- $\overline{\mathbf{v}}$ Employer Name * Employer City * -- Choose One --~ Employer State * Employer Country * United States ~ Last Position Held Total % FTE * -- Choose One --~ Employment Code * Continuing Employment Worked From * ⊞ to \blacksquare Subject and Grade Add | Delete No Change-Close ОК Note: If you list your Employment Code as Teacher or Administrator you MUST enter the Subject and Grade to complete the Employment Detail

Employment Details Continued...



Once you have your Employment Detail(s) and Saved them; each entry will appear in the employment detail window. To view the full details of each employment Click on the 'Employer Name' in Blue.



After you are done entering all your Education and Employment Details Click Save &Go to Next Step

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Attestation

You MUST check off the Attestation to be able to submit your application. This is your form of electronic signature.



Click **Next** to be taken to the Electronic Payment Gateway where you will pay the Transcript Review processing and review fee.

Payment Gateway...

- First you will be taken to a summary of your charges. This should list the \$50.00 non-refundable application processing fee.
- When you are ready to pay click 'Pay Now'
- You will be re-directed to the AOE's secure Payment Gateway where you can opt to pay by Credit Card (VISA, Master Card, and Discover), Debit Card, or Electronic Check.
- You will be prompted to enter your Contact Information and account information like any other online payment
- You will then be asked to confirm you are not a computer by entering in a random series of letters and numbers
- Once complete Click "Continue" and your payment will be processed.
- Once processed you will be immediately taken to a Confirmation and Checklist Screen

Please note that if your computer continues to "think" about processing the payment or you never receive the Confirmation and Checklist screen your application may not have submitted. Please contact the AOE at 802-479-1700 to check if your application submitted and what your next steps are

Application Confirmation Screen and Checklist...

Once your payment has been accepted you will be redirected to an Application Submitted Confirmation Screen. This screen will confirm your application has been submitted and the transaction number

Confirmation

Thank you for using our online services. Your Transcript Review Request has been submitted to the Vermont Agency of Education for further review. Your online transaction number is 80. Please read the checklist item(s) sections for items under review. You may attach supporting documents with each item.

You will also be able to view the checklist specific for your transcript review application. You will be able to view what you have submitted for the competencies as well as upload additional documents if needed.

Checklist				
Item	Item	View/Attach	Item Status	
1	Evidence for Principal area competencies	Documents (0)	Pending	
2	Review transcripts	N/A	Pending	
3	Resume	Documents (0)	Pending	
4	Review Exam Data	N/A	Pending	
5	Others	Documents (0)	N/A	

Return to Home

Logout

Checklist for Initial Licensure Transcript Review

- □ Verify and Update your E-mail address (this is how the system and AOE Staff will contact you)
- □ Coursework must be entered in ALL competencies. For competencies where you do not have coursework, potential coursework should be entered for preapproval
- Remember to attach course descriptions and/or syllabi in the documents section of the Competencies for any courses entered for consideration.
- □ ALL Testing requirements (Praxis II) for the endorsement you are seeking must be complete prior to submission
- Make sure you have entered all of your Education Details. (This includes your BA, graduate degree(s), as well any place you have taken courses that you want considered)
- Make sure you have had **OFFICIAL TRANSCRIPTS** sent for <u>ALL</u> colleges and Universities listed in your Education details. These need to be sent to our Office in paper form or emailed electronically directly from the university to our Office to: <u>AOE.transcripts@Vermont.gov</u>
- ☐ Make sure you have entered all your current Employment Details.

Next steps...

Your Transcript review will be processed within 4-6 weeks. Once processed you will either:

- 1. Receive a determination letter outlining any additional requirements needed to qualify for the endorsement
- 2. Receive a Congratulations letter informing you that you qualify for the endorsement and what your next steps are to continue your Initial Application for Licensure.



Questions??

Please visit our website for additional information and resources, including tutorials on completing the Transcript Review Process here:

http://education.vermont.gov/licensing/licensed-educators/transcript-review

If the Website and Tutorials do not answer your questions Contact the Licensing Office at:

aoe.licensinginfo@Vermont.gov

